# Alexandria Gazette

SATURDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 24.

A MURDERER'S CONFESSION .- On the night of May 17th, William Showers, aged sixty-five years, was arrested in Annville, Penn'a, charged with the murder of his two male grandchildren, aged four and tix years. He first explained their sudden dis appearance by saying that he had taken them over the mountain and placed them in good homes. Search being made on the day of his arrest, the bodies of the boys were found in a drain on Showers' premises, with ropes around their necks, showing that they had been strangled to death. The children were the illegitimate offspring of his unmarried daughter. His trial was set down for yesterday, and the examination of the sace had commenced when it was an nonced in court that Showers had made a confession early that morning. The confession covers five foolscap pages, and details the nurder, confirming the general suspicion and implicating his housekeeper, Elizabeth Seargent. He says that he wanted her to marry him, but she would not consent until the children were out of the way; that they then together murdered the boys, he holding the light while he strangled them in bed. The bodies of the murdered children were then buried, to confirm his story of having taken them away. After down for yesterday, and the examination of story of having taken them away. After the confession was made, Showers plead guilty in court. While the confession was being read in court, Elizabeth Seargent, who was present, rose in her seat among the who was present, rose in his east and voice:

"That's a darned lie." She was led out by
the chief of police. She claims to be able to
prove an alibi. The confession has created
a great sensation. The aged prisoner has complained of severe illness in jail during the past week, but several physicians testi fied in court to-day that the illness was frigned.

## "Fools Rush in, Where Angels Fear to Tread."

So impetuous youth is often given to folly and indiscretions; and, as a result, nervous, and indiscretions; and, as a result, nervous, mental and organic debility follow, memory is impaired, self-confidence is lacking; at night bad dreams occur, premature old age seems setting in, ruin is in the track. In confidence, you can, and should write to Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., the author of a treatise for the benefit of that class of patients, and describe your symptoms and sufferings. He can cure you at your home. and will send you full particulars by mail.

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parties unknown, defendants. In chancery, Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain from the court a construction of the last will and testament of Joseph Markham, deceased, and a decree ment of Joseph Markham, Goessed, and a decree that the complainant have a fee simple estate in the real estate and an absolute estate in the personal estate devised by said Joseph Markham; or if a life estate only should be decreed to said complainant, then that the complainant's life estate be commuted and ascertained, and a sale of said real and personal estate decreed, and complainant's interest be paid to her out of the proceeds of such sale.

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The defendants, the heirs of the sald Joseph The defendants, the heirs of the said Joseph Markham, deceased, who are parties unknown, not having entered their appearance and given security, according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by affidavit that they are parties unknown it is ordered that the said defendants appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria GAZETTE, a newspager published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this county.

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